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RESPONSE AND ELECTION

Sir:

This response is being filed in response to the non-final Office Action mailed October 28, 2008. In response thereto, please enter the following election and consider the following remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper.

However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 501304.